

**Amendments to the Drawings:**

The five (5) attached sheets of drawings include no changed to **Figs. 1-9**. These sheets include **Figs. 1-9** and replace the originally filed sheets, which also included **Figs. 1-9**, but which were deemed not electronically reproducible.

**Remarks:**

In response to the above-referenced Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Applicants are submitting a substitute specification in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.52, 1.121(b)(3), and 1.125. The original specification was transmitted to Applicants' representative by facsimile and was deemed unacceptable because it could not be scanned. The substitute specification provided herein is identical to the original specification, with the exception of the facsimile source identification footers and certain extraneous black marks generated in the facsimile machine. Therefore, no marked-up version of the specification is provided. As noted above, the drawings also were deemed unacceptable, because they were not electronically reproducible. Applicants submit herewith replacement drawings including Figs. 1-9. No new matter is added by the substitute specification and replacement drawings.

**Conclusion:**

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance, and such disposition is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes that an interview with Applicants' representatives, either in person or by telephone, would expedite prosecution of this application, we would welcome such an opportunity. Applicants believe that no fees are due as a result of this submission. Nevertheless, in the event of any variance between the fees determined by Applicants and the fees determined by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, please charge or credit such variance to the undersigned's Deposit Account No. 02-0375.

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